



◀ Eligibility

WHO CAN APPLY

Applicants must be eligible for registration as an intern with the Medical Board of Queensland and meet one of the following criteria to be eligible to apply for an intern position in Queensland:

(Not listed in any specific order)

- Graduates of medical faculties in Australia who are permanent residents or citizens of Australia or New Zealand.
- Graduates of medical faculties in New Zealand who are permanent residents or citizens of Australia or New Zealand.
- International students graduating from medical faculties in Australia who are permitted to remain in Australia for internship.
- Australian permanent residents or citizens who are graduating from international medical faculties.
- Australian Medical Council (AMC) graduates who are Australian permanent residents or citizens and require a year of supervised training as an Intern to be eligible for general registration with the Medical Board of Queensland.
- Graduates of international universities who are New Zealand or Overseas citizens or permanent residents.

INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL GRADUATES

The nationally consistent pathways for international medical graduates (IMGs) have been implemented across Australia on 1 July 2008.

The Australian Medical Council (AMC) assesses IMGs who want to practise medicine in Australia. The assessment process follows one of four different pathways:

1. Competent authority pathway
2. Standard pathway (AMC Examination)
3. Standard pathway (workplace based assessment)
4. Specialist assessment (full comparability/ Area of Need)

Pathways 1, 2 and 3 relate to pathways to the AMC certificate. Pathway 4 relates to either the AMC Report pathway or the AMC/College Report pathway.

All IMGs **not** currently registered with the Medical Board of Queensland (MBQ) will be required to progress along one of the pathways mentioned above.

To determine which pathway you are eligible for please visit the AMC website.

NB: All IMGs on pathway 2 will have to **successfully complete** the AMC's Multiple Choice Questionnaire (MCQ) examination, prior to registration and hence employment. This examination can be taken onshore or offshore and information can be found on the AMC website regarding dates and countries where the examination may be taken.

Due to national requirements, WorkforUs will not accept expressions of interest (EOIs) for employment from any IMGs who have not either successfully completed or registered to undertake the MCQ examination.

If you are not eligible for any of the pathways then you are not eligible to apply for an internship in Queensland.

For further information please refer to the following websites:

Medical Board of Queensland

Registration information for applicants may be obtained from:

Medical Board of Queensland
GPO Box 1667
BRISBANE QLD 4001
AUSTRALIA

Phone: +61 7 3234 0176
Fax: +61 7 3225 2522
Email: registrations@medicalboard.qld.gov.au
Internet: www.medicalboard.qld.gov.au

Office counter hours are 9.00am to 4.00pm (AEST) Monday to Friday, with telephone contact being available 9.00am to 4.30pm (AEST) Monday to Friday.

Australian Medical Council (AMC)

AMC information for IMG applicants can be obtained from:

Australian Medical Council
PO Box 4810
KINGSTON ACT 2604
AUSTRALIA

Phone: +61 2 6270 7878
Fax: +61 2 6270 9799
Email: amc@amc.org.au
Internet: www.amc.org.au

The AMC call centre accepts calls from applicants regarding examinations and assessment of medical qualifications between the hours of 9am – 4:30pm [AEST]. While the call centre will attempt to assist applicants with enquiries, the AMC will only be committed to information given in writing.